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ARABIAN SCANDINAVIAN INSURANCE COMPANY (P.L.C.) - TAKAFUL - ASCANA INSURANCE

Incorporated with limited liability by Amiri decree
A company subject to Federal law no. (6) of year 2007 of Insurance
Authority and registered in the insurance companies register under
No. (6) on 15/12/1984 Paid Up Capital Dirhams One Hundred Fifty Four Million.

أسست بموجب مرسوم أميري بضمان محدود شركة خاضعة لأحكام لقانون الاتحادى رقم (6) للعام 2007 في شان هيئة التامين وتنظيم أعمالة ومقيدة في سجل شركات التأمين تحت رقم (6) بتاريخ 15\12\1984 م رأس المال المدفوع مائة وأربعة وخمسون مليون درهم

Arabian Scandinavian Insurance Company PLC - ASCANA Takaful

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1. The procedures taken to complete corporate governance system during 2022 and how they are applied.

Since the introduction of governance controls, The Arabian Scandinavian Insurance Company PLC - Takaful – ASCANA Insurance, has adopted this targeted and effective system, leading to the development of institutional work, upgrading disclosure and transparency requirements, establishing integrity in dealings, strengthening supervision and preserving shareholders' rights, improving performance, preserving the rights of the Insured, reducing potential risks and separating ownership and management, providing good management and skilled expertise and developing the best practices starting from the implementation of the decision No. 7/R.M. for 2016 and its amendments No. 3/R.M. for 2019 on standards of corporate discipline and corporate governance and the decision of the Chairman of the Authority Board of Directors No. (03 /R.I.) for the year 2020 concerning the approval of joint-stock companies' Governance Guide which was replaced with resolution No. 518 for 2009 and other decisions on governance controls and standards of institutional discipline.

The company's achievements in 2022 can be summarized as follows:

- 1. Ensuring compliance with internal control systems by matching provided data with data received from external auditors and allowing members of the Audit Committee to conduct their supervisory role more effectively.
- 2. The company has committed to the arrangement with the Institute of Governance, where it has registered the Board Secretary in the governance program and the Board Secretary has been awarded a certified certificate (Certified Board Secretary) in this regard.
- 3. The Board of Directors has completed the special session designed for the members of the Board of Directors, and the BOD was granted for the second time a certificate approved by the competent authorities stating that they have completed the specialized course of governance work and in accordance with administrative decision No. 17 for 2017 issued by the Dubai Financial Market.
- 4. The company's executives as well as internal control members followed up and discussed the company's risk management policy in accordance with the approved regulations by implementing a cautious and effective underwriting policy and prudent management of claims.
- 5. The company also provided a comprehensive explanation to its employees for the controls of corporate governance, the statement of how they are applied, and the administrative decisions governing it.
- 6. The Board of Directors has also followed up with the audit committee and the nominations and remuneration committee in accordance with governance provisions and regulations. They also received reports from the Internal Audit Committee and reviewed them. They met and discussed these reports with the Internal Audit Committee.
- 7. The Company was keen to carry out its work with the transparency required in respect of the commitment to the dates and methods of disclosure of financial statements, in accordance with all provisions and decisions of the Securities and Commodities Authority and Dubai Financial Market (DFM).
- 8. Improve the performance of the IT department by introducing and modifying new innovative systems.
- 9. This report is made available to all shareholders of the company in accordance with resolution No. (03/R.M.) for 2020.
- 10. The Annual Report and all Financial Statements are presented to the shareholders before sufficient time from the AGM meeting to enable them to review it and take their decisions.



2. Statement of ownership and transactions of the Board of Directors

Member Name	Position /Relation	Owned shares as on 31/12/2022	Total Sale	Total Purchase
H.H. Sheikh Butti Bin Maktoum Bin Jumaa Al Maktoum	Chairman	28,644,000		
Majid Mohd Amin Al Kazim	Vice Chairman	39,019,711		
Faisal Aqil Al Bastaki	Member	77,000		
Mahmoud Hadi Hassan	Member	1,456,143		
Khalid Al Redha	Member	2,434,326		
H.E. Dr. Mohammad Salim Al Olama	Member	8,140		
H.E. Abdulla Abdulrahman Al Shaibani	Member			

3. Board Formation

Name	Category (Executive, Non-Executive, and Independent	Experience	Qualifications	Period served as a BOD member of the Company since his first election date	Their memberships and positions in any other joint-stock companies	Their positions in any other important supervisory, governmental, or business entities
His Highness Sheikh Butti Bin Maktoum Bin Jumaa Al Maktoum	Executive	He served as deputy commander in Central Military Area	N/A	1998	N/A	Ruling Family
Majid Mohammad Amin Al Kazim	Executive	Businessman	Bachelor's in business administration	2000	N/A	*Chief Executive Officer of Al Kazim Group of Companies.
Khalid Habib Al Redha	Non- Executive	Businessman	College of Media	2004	N/A	N/A
Faisal Aqil Bastaki	Non- Executive/ Independent	Board Member Ajman Bank CEO of the Emirates Development Bank	*Bachelors in computer science and Statistics	2006	N/A	
Mahmoud Mohammed Hadi	non- executive Independent	Commercial Bank of Dubai	Master of Management	2006	N/A	* Currently retired and Director of Delta Company for Supply Workers on Demand



Abdulla Abdulrahman AlShaibani	Non- Executive	*Chairman - Galadari Brothers Group	Executive master's in business administration Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering	2021	N/A	Board Director - Mohammed Bin Rashid Housing Establishment
		*Secretary General - Dubai				Board Director – ALEC Board Member -
		Executive				Mohammed Bin Rashid
		Council				University Board of
		*Assistant				Trustees
		General Director				Board Member -
		for Technical				International
		Services Dubai				Humanitarian City Board
		Municipality				of Directors
		*Director of				Emirates
		Contract &				Competitiveness Council
		Purchasing				(now Federal
		Department				Competitiveness and
		Dubai				Statistical Authority)
		Municipality				
		*Director of				
		General Projects				
		& Maintenance				
		Department -				
		Dubai				
		Municipality				
Dr. Mohammad	Independent	*Undersecretary	*Bachelor of Medicine	2012	N/A	
Salim Al Ulama	non-	of Ministry of	and Surgery			Undersecretary of
	executive	Health &	*Master of Business			Ministry of Health &
		Prevention	Administration MBA			Prevention
		*CEO -Hospital	*master's in science			
		Services Sector	*Sheikh Mohammed			
		& Acting CEO *Director of the	Bin Rashid Governmental			
		Executive Affairs	leadership program			
		Department (DOHMS)	leadership program			

B. Statement of the percentage of woman representation in the Board of Directors in 2022:

Unfortunately, there are no women in the BOD currently, but the company hopes to have woman representation in the BOD in the coming years.

C. Statement of reasons why no women were nominated for the membership of the Board of Directors:

Although the company is carrying out the procedures stipulated by law regarding nomination for membership to the Board of Directors, whether it is announced in newspapers, by registered mail, through the financial market, or through the company's website. However, 25% of the Company's Shareholders are women.

D. Statement of the following:

1. Remuneration and allowance of the Board of Directors in 2022

The remuneration of the Chairman and members of the BOD shall be based on the provisions of Article No. (21) of Resolution No. (7 / R of 2016) on the rules of governance and Article (169) of the Commercial Companies Law No. (2) for the year 2015, (Article 60 / c) so that the remuneration of members of the BOD shall consist of a percentage of the net profit provided that it shall not exceed 10% of the net profit for the fiscal year after deducting both the depreciation and the reserves.

The Company may also pay additional expenses, fees, bonuses, or monthly salary determined by the BOD for any of its members if such member works on any committee, makes special efforts, or performs additional duties to serve the Company in addition to his normal duties as a member of the BOD of the Company. No attendance allowance may be paid to the Chairman or a member of the BOD for Board meetings.

2. The total Remuneration paid to the Board of Directors in 2021:

The remuneration of the Board has been paid for 2021 in the amount of AED 650,000, which was approved in the Annual General Assembly Meeting held on 14^{th} April 2022.

3. The total remuneration of the Board of Directors which will be proposed for 2022 presented in the annual general assembly meeting for approval:

Resolved to make a recommendation to the general assembly to not distribute remuneration for the fiscal year ended on 31/12/2022.

4. Details of allowances, salaries, or fees received by the board member other than the attendance allowances of committees and the reasons thereof.

No fees or additional salaries were paid.

5. Number of the Board resolutions passed during the 2022 fiscal year, along with its meeting convention dates.

Date of Meeting	No. of Attendees	No. of Attendees by Proxy	Names of Absentness
02/03/2022	7	NIL	NIL
14/04/2022	6	NIL	Sheikh Butti Bin Maktoum Bin Jumaa Al Maktoum
10/05/2022	7	NIL	NIL
02/08/2022	6	NIL	Khalid Al Redha
07/11/2022	7	NIL	NIL

6. Number of the Board resolutions held during the 2022 fiscal year by circulation. No resolutions held by circulation during 2022.

A. Statement of the BOD's tasks and functions which were performed by the Executive Management pursuant to authorization by the Management, stating the period and validity of the delegation.

The BOD of the Company has a distinct delegation system. Articles 24 and 25 of the Articles of Association stipulate the powers and mechanism of delegation. The BOD has therefore granted all authorities in the management of the Company, to conduct all acts and actions on behalf of the Company as authorized by the Company. None of these authorities and powers shall not be retained by the Companies Law or by the Articles of Association of the General Assembly. The BOD shall establish regulations concerning administrative, financial, and employment matters and their financial dues. The Board of Directors shall also establish a regulation for the organization of its work and meetings and the distribution of competencies and responsibilities. Moreover, the board considering the provisions of the Companies Law and the implementing decisions issued by the Authority, authorizes the BOD to extend loans over a period

of 3 years, sell the pr

of 3 years, sell the properties of the company or the store, mortgage the movable and immovable property of the company, discharge the Company owes its obligations or conciliation and agreement on arbitration.

The right to sign on behalf of the Company shall also have the exclusive right of the Chairman of the BOD, or any other member authorized by the Board within the limits of the BOD's decisions. The chairman of the Board of Directors may be the legal representative of the company in front of the judiciary and in relation to third parties. The chairman of the board may delegate other members of the board of directors in some of his powers, provided that the board of directors is not authorized to delegate the president of the council in all his powers in absolute terms. As the Council has the right to appoint the Chief Executive Officer or General Manager of the company or several Managers or authorized agents and determine their terms of service and salaries and remuneration.

B. Statement of the BOD's tasks and Functions Which Were Performed by the Executive Management pursuant to an authorization by the Management, stating the period and validity of the delegation

Name of Authorized Person	Power of Authorization
Khalid Ahmad Mohd Amin Al Kazim	 All the necessary powers to perform the duties of the administrative, financial, and technical requirements of the company for example: Daily management of the company Budget arrangement Decide the required insurance for the company. Appointing and dismissing employees, consultants, and contractors, determining their duties, bonuses, promotions, and disciplinary rules. Representing the company in all natural and legal entities, ministries, committees, boards, references, civil departments, companies, and private entities and signing all contracts, transactions, correspondence, and documents related to the company's business. Follow-up the establishment, processing, and operation of the branches and the taking of procedures in their establishment, and in general the representation of the company in all the activities required for the *conduct of its business and activities or related thereto and related to its practices. In the conduct of the company's business, defending its rights, representing third parties, appointing lawyers and signing on behalf of the company all administrative, technical and legal works

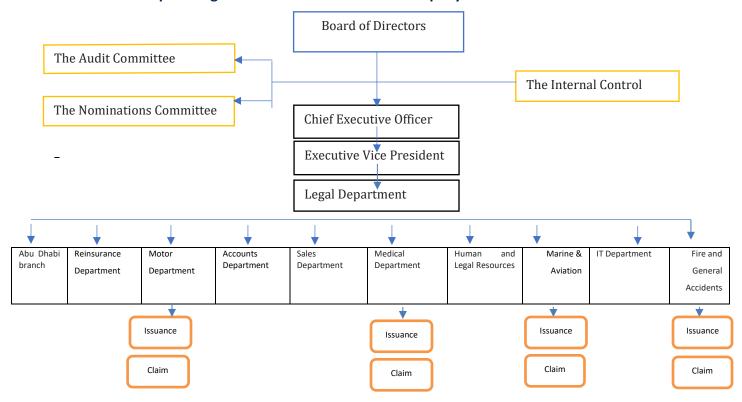
G. Statement of the details of transactions made with the related parties during 2022 There were no transactions during 2022.

Details of the transactions with related parties:

There were no transactions with related parties.



c. The complete organizational structure of the company



I. Detailed statement of the senior executives in the first and second levels according to the organization structure:

Sr. No.	Position	Appointment Date	Total Salaries and Allowances paid for 2021	Total Bonus Paid for 2022	Any Other Bonus / Allowances for 2021
1.	CEO	2020	AED 1,080,000	AED 75,000	-
2.	Legal & Admin. Manager	1995	AED 460,000	AED26,600	-
3.	Fire Dept. Manager	2018	AED 212,000	AED10,200	-
4.	Marine Dept. Manager	1989	AED 205,900	AED 9,350	-
5.	Medical Dept. Manager	2016	AED 193,000	AED8,000	-
6.	Finance Dept. Manager	2003	AED 371,200	AED21,210	-
7.	Sales Dept. Manager	2013	AED 290,178	00	-
8.	Reinsurance Dept. Manager	2012	AED 305,600	AED 14,880	-
9.	Motor Dept. Manager	2001	AED 318,800	AED 15,450	-
10.	IT Dept. Manager	2002	AED 235,600	AED 10,450	-
11.	Operation Manager	2016	AED402,200	AED19,800	
12.	Technical Manager	1995	AED 367,600	00	-
13.	Motor Underwriting Manager	1998	AED 137,550	AED11,400	-
14.	Human Resource Manager	2019	AED 291,000	AED15,600	-
15.	Corporate Services Manager	2020	AED 204,000	AED11,200	-
16.	Abu Dhabi Branch Manager	2015	AED193,000	AED6,400	



4-COMPANY'S EXTERNAL AUDITOR

A. Overview of the Company Auditor

Grant Thornton (GT) undertakes the external audit of the company, which is one of the international companies accredited in the country and they have been auditing the companies since 2018, when they were selected by the shareholders in General Assembly held on 10/04/2018.

Grant Thornton is an audit firm and their independence from the company and its board of directors has been ascertained, and they perform audit work in accordance with applicable international standards. Their primary work is to ensure the correctness of the financial statements and monitor the company's accounts for the fiscal year. In order to perform their mission, they have the right to access at all times the company's records, and its books, documents, request data, clarifications, verification of the company's assets and its obligations, and it must be ascertained when preparing their report of the validity of the accounting records kept by the company, and the extent of agreement of the company's accounts with the accounting records, and they have the right to request whatever they deem necessary to perform their duties. Review the balance sheet, and profit & loss account reviews the company's deals with related parties, observe the implementation of the provisions of the Companies Law and the Articles of Association, and submit the report with the results of their examination to the General Assembly and sends a copy of it to the competent authorities. They also have the right to attend the General Assembly meetings, and to ensure that the procedures that have been taken for the invitation to these meetings are correct, and the recitation of their audit report to the shareholders, notes on the company's accounts, its financial position, or any violations thereof, and that the report is independent and impartial, explaining any obstacles or interference from the board of directors that they encountered while performing their work.

B. Statement of fees and costs for the audit or services provided by the external auditor:

Number of years the auditor served as the company's external auditor	Grant Thornton
Number of years the auditor served as the company's external auditor	5 Years
Total Auditor fees of 2022 (AED)	AED 175,000
Fees and costs of other private services other than auditing the financial statements for 2022(AED), if any, and in case of absence of any other fees, this shall be expressly stated	No other services
Details and nature of the other services (if any), if there are no other services, this matter shall be stated expressly	No other services
Statement of the other that an external auditor other than the company accounts auditor provided during 2022(if any), in the absence of another external auditor, this matter is explicitly stated.	No other services



C. Statement clarifying the reservations that the company auditor included in the interim and annual financial statements for 2022.

No reservations during 2022.

5- Audit Committee

- **A.** The chairman of the Audit Committee thereby acknowledges his responsibility for the committee system in the company, review of its work mechanism and ensuring its effectiveness.
- **B.** Name of Audit Committee member and their duties and tasks assigned:

Name	Position
Mr. Faisal Aqil Bastaki	Chairperson
Mr. Mahmoud Mohamed Hadi	Member
Dr. Mohammed Al Ulama	Member

It is a subcommittee formed through a decision issued by the Board of Directors based on the structure and functions of Articles 60, 61, and 62 of Decision No. 03 / R.M / 2020 and its amendments. All members must have knowledge of financial and accounting matters, and one of them must have the minimum work experience in the field of accounting or financial matters or be the holder of an academic qualification or a professional certificate in accounting, finance, or other related fields.

The Audit Committee shall perform the following tasks and duties:

- 1. Review the company's financial and accounting policies and procedures.
- 2. Monitor and review the integrity of the Company's financial statements and reports (annual, semi-annual, and quarterly) and its control regulation as part of its normal operation during the year. It shall concentrate on the following:
 - a. Any changes in accounting policies and practices.
 - b. Highlighting the aspects subject to the management's discretion.
 - c. Ensure that the company annually updates its policies, procedures, and control systems.
 - d. Substantive amendments resulting from the audit.
 - e. Assumption of business continuity.
 - f. Compliance with the accounting standards established by the Authority.
 - g. Compliance with listing and disclosure rules and other legal requirements related to financial reporting.
- 3. Coordinate with the company Board, senior executive administration, the financial manager, or the manager delegated with the same duties in the company, to perform its duties.
- 4. Consider any significant and unusual terms contained in such reports and accounts and shall give due consideration to any matters raised either by the Company's Chief Financial Officer, the manager delegated with the same duties, the compliance officer, or the auditor.
- 5. Raise recommendations to the Board regarding the selection, resignation, or dismissal of the auditor. In case the Board does not approve the Audit Committee recommendations in this regard, the Board shall attach to the governance report a statement explaining the Audit Committee recommendations and the reasons why the Board has not followed them.



- 6. Develop and implement the policy of contracting with the auditor, and submit a report to the Board, outlining the issues that it deems necessary to be taken, along with providing recommendations for steps to be taken.
- 7. Ensure that the auditor meets the conditions stated in the applicable laws, regulations, decisions, and in the company articles of association, along with following up and monitoring its independence.
- 8. Meet the auditor of the company without presence of any of the senior executive management personnel or its representatives and discuss the same with regard to the nature and scope of the audit process and its effectiveness in accordance with the audited standards.
- 9. Approve any additional work done by an external auditor for the company and the fees received in consideration of that work.
- 10. Examine all matters related to the auditor's work, their work plan, correspondence with the company, their observations, suggestions and reservations, and any substantial queries raised by the auditor to the senior executive management regarding the accounting records, financial accounts, or control systems, in addition to following up the response of the company management and provision of the necessary facilities to do his work.
- 11. Ensure that the Board responds promptly to the clarifications and substantive issues raised in the auditor letter.
- 12. Review and evaluate the company's internal auditing and risk management systems.
- 13. Discuss the internal auditing system with the Board, and make sure it performs its duty with regard to establishing an effective internal control system.
- 14. Consider the results of the main investigations regarding the internal auditing matters assigned to it by the Board or at the initiative of the Committee and the approval of the Board.
- 15. Review the auditor evaluation of the internal control procedures and ensure that there is coordination between the internal and external auditors.
- 16. Ensure the availability of necessary resources for the internal auditing department, review and monitor the effectiveness of such department.
- 17. Examine internal auditing reports and follow up implementation of corrective actions of the observations contained therein.
- 18. Establish controls that enable the Company's employees to report confidentially on any potential violations in the financial reports, internal auditing or other matters, and the steps to ensure making an independent and fair investigation of such violations.
- 19. Monitor the company compliance with the rules of professional conduct.



- 20. Review related party transactions with the Company, ensure that there are no conflicts of interest and raise recommendations about them to the Board before concluding them.
- 21. Ensure the application of the business rules and their functions and the powers entrusted to it by the Board.
- 22. Submit reports and recommendations to the Board on the above matters mentioned in this Article.
- 23. Consider any other matters determined by the Board.

C. Number of meetings held by the Audit Committee during 2022

Audit Committee	Date of the meeting				
Member Name	28/02/2022	10/05/2022	10/07/2022	02/11/2022	
Faisal Aqil Bastaki	P	P	P	(P)	
Mahmoud Mohamed Hadi	P	(P	P	P	
Mohammed Al Ulama	P	(P)	P	(P)	

6-Nomination and Remuneration Committee

A. The chairman of the Nomination and Remuneration Committee thereby acknowledges his responsibility for the committee system in the company, reviews its work mechanism, and ensures its effectiveness.

B. Names of Nomination and remuneration Committee member and their duties and tasks assigned.

Name	Position
Mr. Mahmoud Mohamed Hadi	Chairperson
Mr. Khalid Habib Al Redha	Member
Dr. Mohammed Al Ulama	Member
Abdulla Abdulrahman AlShaibani	Member

As per Article (59) of Chairman of Authority's Board of Directors' Decision no. (3/Chairman) of 2020 concerning approval of Joint Stock Companies Governance Guide: a committee formed by the Board of Directors and hold its meetings once a year or whenever necessary, its functions include:

- 1. Develop the policy that is required for applying to the Board and Executive administration's membership, and aiming to include gender diversity, and providing the authority with a copy of the policy with any amendments.
- 2. Establish and follow up with the procedures that are to be followed when applying for membership to the Board, according to the applicable laws and regulations.
- 3. Ensure the availability of the continuity of the membership conditions of the Board members, annually.
- 4. Examine the Board's structure and make recommendations wherever required.



- 5. Continuously ensure the independence of the independent Board members. If the Committee determines that a member lacks independence, the matter will be notified to the Board, and action will be taken accordingly.
- 6. Subject to the provisions of Article (145) of the Companies Law, if the decision of the Board regarding lack of reasons or justifications for the member independence affects the minimum percentage of its independent members, the Board shall appoint an independent member to replace this member if he has submitted his resignation due to lack of independency. In case the member refuses to resign, the Board shall present the matter to the general assembly for a decision to approve the appointment of another member or to open the door for candidacy for electing a new member.
- 7. Prepare and review the policy for granting rewards, benefits, incentives, and salaries to the Board members and the employees of the Company, annually. The committee must ensure that the rewards and benefits provided to the senior executive management are reasonable and proportionate to the performance of the Company.
- 8. Identify the needs of the Company with regard to the competency level of senior executive management and employees, as well as the basis of their selection.
- 9. Prepare the policy related to HR and training of employees and monitor its implementation along with reviewing it on an annual basis.

C. Number of meetings held by the Nomination and Remuneration Committee during 2022

Nomination and Remuneration Committee		Date of t	he meeting	
Member Name	28/02/2022	09/05/2022	28/07/2022	02/11/2022
Mahmoud Mohamed Hadi	P	P	P	®
Abdulla Abdulrahman Al Shaibani	P	P	P	Α
Mohammed Al Ulama	P	P	P	®
Khalid Al Redha	P	P	P	(P)

7. The supervision and follow up committee of insiders' transaction

- **A.** The chairperson of the supervision and follow up committee of insiders' transactions thereby acknowledges his responsibility for the committee system in the company, reviews of its work mechanism, and ensures its effectiveness.
- **B.** Name of supervision and follow-up committee of insiders' transaction member and their duties and tasks assigned:
 - 1- Mr. Faisal Agil
 - 2- Mr. Mahmoud Hadi
 - 3- Mr. Sunil Kumar

The company established an independent committee to manage monitor and oversee the transactions of insiders, and their properties, maintain a register, and submit the periodic report to the market in accordance with The Securities & Commodities Authority's Board of Directors' Chairman Resolution No. (7/R) of 2016 Concerning the Standards of Institutional Discipline and Governance of Public Shareholding Companies Insiders Trading Follow-Up.



- 1. Prepare a special and comprehensive list of insiders, including interim on a temporary basis and their disclosures.
- 2. Hold periodic quarterly meetings to discuss changes in Insiders transaction.
- 3. Notify the Authority and Market with an updated list of Insiders at the beginning of each fiscal year, as well as any changes that occur during the fiscal year.
- 4. Submit an updated copy of the insider's list to the Authority upon their request. Comply with all requirements determined by the Authority.

C. Summary of Committee work during 2022:

- Increase awareness to the Importance of Insider Trading Follow-Up and Overseas Committee role.
- Prepare and submit statements on a quarterly basis to Executive Management as in Article 58,59 of the Chairman's Decision No. 3 / R .M for the year 2020.

The supervision and follow-up committee of insiders	Date of the meeting
transaction	28/07/2022
Faisal Aqil Bastaki	P
Mahmoud Mohamed Hadi	(P)
Sunil Kumar	(P)

7. Committees approved by the Board.

A- Investment Committee

The Chairman of the Committee thereby acknowledges his responsibility for the committee system in the company, review of its work mechanism, and ensuring its effectiveness.

Role of the Investment Committee

- 1. Develop an investment and risk management policy that is consistent with the level of risk appetite determined by the Company's Board of Directors and review it on an annual basis, including the control mechanism.
- 2. Ensure that assets are sufficiently diversified and distributed and allow the company to respond efficiently to changing economic conditions, including developments in the financial markets, and assess unusual market conditions on its assets.
- 3. Verify the efficiency of risk management systems associated with investment activities that may affect the coverage of insurance obligations and capital adequacy.
- 4. Review the assessment of the creditworthiness of related parties with whom the company performs large transactions.

Names of the members of the Investment Committee: -

Post	Name
Vice Chairman – Chairman of the Committee	Mr. Majed Mohammed Amin Al-Kazim
Board Member – Committee Member.	Mr. Faisal Aqeel Al Bastaki
Chief Executive Officer – Committee Member	Mr. Khalid Ahmed Mohammed Amin Al-
	Kazim

A statement of the number of meetings held by the Committee during 2022 and the dates of their convening, and a statement of the personal attendance of all members of the Committee.



Details	Date
The Committee recommended investing in Islamic Sukuk (ordinary and perpetual), reviewing the	20/05/2022
investment schedules, and strategy.	

B- BOD Risk Committee:

The chairman of the Risk Committee thereby acknowledges his responsibility for the committee system in the company, review of its work mechanism, and ensuring its effectiveness.

Name of Risk Management committee transaction member and their duties and tasks assigned:

Name	Position
Mr. Mahmoud Mohamed Hadi	Chairperson
Mr. Faisal Aqil Bastaki	Member
Mr. Khalid Habib Al Redha	Member

Role of the Risk Committee

- 1. Help to set the tone and develop the risk management program.
- 2. Create awareness such that people at all levels own and manage risks related to their areas
- 3. Monitor the Company's risk profile Its ongoing and potential exposure to risks of various types
- 4. Approve the risk management policy and plan. The risk management plan should include the company's risk management approach refers to tolerances, intervals, frequency etc.
- 5. Discuss with the CEO and management the company's major risk exposures and review the steps management has taken to monitor and control such exposures Provide input to the board and audit committee regarding risks
- 6. Perform any other activities that the board or risk committee determines are necessar

A statement of the number of meetings held by the Committee during 2022 and the dates of their convening, and a statement of the personal attendance of all members of the Committee.

Date of the meeting				
09/05/2022	28/07/2022	02/11/2022		

C-Risk Management Committee

-The chairman of the Risk Management Committee thereby acknowledges his responsibility for the committee system in the company, review of its work mechanism, and ensuring its effectiveness



-Names of Risk Management committee transaction member and their duties and tasks assigned:

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Role of the Risk management Committee:

- 1. Develop a detailed risk management strategy as well as policies that are consistent with the nature and size of the Company's operations, monitoring its implementation, reviewing, and updating it whenever necessary.
- 2. Recognize and preserve acceptable risk levels that the Company may face and ensure that the level is not exceeded.
- 3. Oversee the risk management framework and evaluate its efficacy and review the mechanism in place for detecting and monitoring the risks that threaten the Company, in order to find any areas of incompetence.
- 4. Present the Company's management with guidance in order to assist them in improving risk management practices or mitigating certain risks.
- 5. Acquire assurance from the executive management and the internal auditor that the risk processes and systems operate effectively.
- 6. Prepare comprehensive reports on the level of exposure to risks and recommend procedures for controlling risks and submit them to the Board.
- 7. Evaluate the selection, performance, and replacement of the Risk Officer and monitor the management of risk.
- 8. Assess matters that are raised by the Audit Committee that can affect the Company's management of risk.

C. Statement of the number of meetings held by the Risk Committee during 2022

Risk Management Committee		Date of Me	eting	
Member Name	28/02/2022	09/05/2022	28/07/2022	02/11/2022
Walid Shalab	P	P	P	P
Rusiru Thalinka	P	P	P	P
Ashraf Abass Dupity AJMS GLOBAL	P	P	P	P
Motasem Oklah	P	P	P	P
Alaa Al Qassas	P	P	P	P
Nidal Alkloub	P	P	P	P



8. Internal Control System

A-The board of Directors acknowledges their responsibilities for the company's internal control system and for their review of the working mechanism for ensuring its effectiveness.

Accordingly, in compliance with corporate governance and corporate governance standards, the Board of Directors acknowledges its responsibility for the Company's internal control system, It also acknowledges its review of its working mechanism and effectiveness. The Internal Control Department of the Company carries out its duties in accordance with the provisions of Article (67,68) of Resolution No. 3 / R of 2020 which replaced the Ministerial Resolution No. 7/RM of 2016 so that it shall have enough independence to carry out its duties and directly follow the Board of Directors. The internal control system is designed to establish an evaluation of the company's risk management tools and procedures to apply its governance rules properly, and to verify the compliance of the company and its employees with the provisions of the laws regulations and decisions in force internal policies and procedures and review of the financial statements presented to the Company's senior management, which are used in the preparation of financial statements.

- **1.** The internal control system shall be issued by the Board of Directors after consultation with the senior executive management. The system is managed by an internal control department.
- **2.** The Board shall also define the objectives, functions, and powers of the competent internal control department with enough independence to perform its functions and directly follow the Board of Directors,
- **3.** The Director shall also be appointed directly by the Board.
- **4.** The Board shall conduct an annual review to ensure the effectiveness of the Company's internal control system and to disclose its findings to shareholders in its annual report on corporate governance.
- **5.** The annual audit includes especially the details as given below:
 - Key control elements include financial control operations and risk management.
 - Changes since the last annual review and extent of the main risks and the Company's ability to respond to changes in its business and the external environment.
 - The scope and quality of the Board's continuous control over risks the internal control system and the work of the internal auditor.
 - The number of times the Board of Directors or its committees have been informed of the results
 of the audit work to enable it to assess the internal control position of the Company and the
 effectiveness of risk management.
 - Cases of failure or weakness in the detected control system or unexpected contingencies that have affected or may have a material impact on the performance or financial position of the Company.
 - The effectiveness of the Company's financial reporting and compliance with inclusion and disclosure rules.
 - Verifying all transactions in terms of whether they are carried out with a related party if they
 involved a conflict of interests or by verifying compliance with the procedures governing such
 transactions.

The company adopts the application of international standards of internal control in order to achieve the required objectives efficiently in accordance with the purpose for which it was found and aimed at achieving an integrated control system and in accordance with the set of controls, standards, and procedures.

The Internal Control Department is transparent in its reports on the extent of the company's transactions and employees in accordance with the procedures required to be followed by the company and its employees.

B-AJMS Global Consulting has been appointed for internal auditing purposes.

Internal Auditor:

Name of the internal Auditor : AJMS GLOBAL CONSULTING

Date of appointment of the company's Internal Auditors 01/01/2021

An internal audit function exists in the company, acting as the third line of defence which reports to the Audit Committee on the effectiveness of key internal controls and conducts reviews of the efficacy of management oversight in regard to delegated responsibilities, as part of its regular audits of the Company's departments. The Internal Audit produces an annual Risk-Based Internal Audit Plan which is approved by the Audit Committee and revisited to allow flexibility in a changing risk environment. On an ongoing basis, the Board along with Audit Committee and management reviews the internal controls and suggests changes to further enhance and improve the framework. The Audit Committee has outsourced the internal audit function to a specialised third party.

The Internal Auditor prepars an annual plan to identify the risks and the degree of severity, and to review and audit the various sections and departments of the Company, where periodic reports submitted on the tasks performed to the Audit Committee, which are presented to the Board of Directors, as well as a plan that aims at handling or limiting violations, if any.

B. How the internal auditor system dealt with any major problems at the company:

The internal auditor has dealt with transparency and professionalism with all the tasks entrusted to it by the Board of Directors and what is required by law to this matter, and to inform the Board of Directors with all the details required.

In 2022, the company didn't face any issues that require the intervention of the internal control Department, which in case of occurrence, the Internal Control Department will deal with them in accordance with the nature of the problem and report to the Board of the facts and solutions.

E. Number of reports issued by the internal control system to the company's Board of Directors:

The internal auditor has specifically reported to the Audit Committee the progress on updating the internal controls policies and procedures carried out during the year.

The internal control department completed 17-audit engagements and issued the following reports during 2022:

- o 13 reports for compliance with rules, regulations, policies, procedures.
- 4 reports for information security, and information technology.

Internal Auditor	Date of Meeting				
Meetings	28/02/2022	27/07/2022	02/11/2022	12/07/2022	02/10/2022

9. Details of the violations committed during 2022

ASCANA didn't commit any violations during 2022 or during the previous years.

10. Contribution made by the company during 2022 in developing the local community

The company follows an environmental and social policy that stems from its interest in preserving the safety of the local environment by reducing the use of pollution-reducing tools, reducing the amount of waste, recycling, and reusing, as well as the optimal use of resources. The company has also implemented a special system to conserve energy and reduce energy consumption within the office premises.

In addition to the above, the company has several social, charitable, sports, and environmental contributions. In 2022, the company supported and sponsored several activities for governmental, social, educational, and environmental agencies, translating it into the concept of community service.

At the local and sports level, the company is considered one of the main sponsors of equestrian racing events in Dubai under a cash contribution as one of the sponsors and in the form of awarding prizes to the winners.

At the social level Takaful, the company has provided the Zakat legitimacy of charitable organizations.

The company also through the inspection department in the Motor Department has issued its instructions to conduct the optional examination and free inspection of its customers on vehicles to be insured as an additional service to ensure that it is free from defects harmful to public health or the environment.

10. General Information:

A. Statement of the company share price in the market (closing price, highest price, and lowest price) at the end of each month during the fiscal year 2022.

ASCANA		
Month	Open	Close
Jan-22	1.79	1.63
Feb-22	1.63	1.63
Mar-22	1.63	1.72
Apr-22	1.72	1.85
May-22	1.85	2.12
Jun-22	2.12	2.12
Jul-22	2.12	2.12
Aug-22	2.12	2.04
Sep-22	2.04	2.00
Oct-22	2.00	2.00
Nov-22	2.00	1.85
Dec-22	1.85	1.85

B-Statement of the company comparative performance with the general market index and sector index to which the company belongs during 2022.

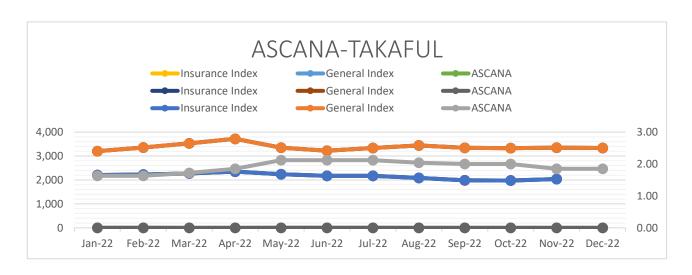
Month	Jan-22	Feb-22	Mar-22	Apr-22	May-22	Jun-22	Jul-22	Aug-22	Sep-22	Oct-22	Nov-22	Dec-22
Insurance Index	2,208	2,223	2,275	2,349	2,242	2,174	2,175	2,087	1,987	1,976	2,036	
General Index	3,203	3,355	3,527	3,720	3,347	3,223	3,338	3,443	3,339	3,332	3,352	3,336
ASCANA	1.63	1.63	1.72	1.85	2.12	2.12	2.12	2.04	2.00	2.00	1.85	1.85



C. Statement of the shareholder's ownership distribution as of 31/12/2022 individual, companies, government) classified as follows: Local, Gulf, and Foreign

Local	No of Shares	Shareholding Ratio %
Company	28,384	0.02%
Individual	153,971,616	99.98%
Grand Total	154,000,000	100.00%

E. Statement of the shareholders owning 5% or more of the company's capital as of 31/12/2022 according to the following schedule:



Serial No.	Names of the shareholders	Number of shares Held	% of Shares Held of the Company's capital
1	H. H Sheikh Butti Bin Maktoum Bin Juma Al Maktoum	28,644,000	18.60%
2	Ahmad Mohammed Amin Al Kazim	14,989,093	9.61%
3	Majed Mohammed Amin Al Kazim	39,019,711	25.34%
4	Fawzia Abdul Razzaq Al Kazim	7,937,702	5.15%
5	Rehab Mohammed Amin Al Kadhim	16,435,094	10.67%
6	Rawia Mohammed Amin Al Kazim	16,435,094	10.67%



D. Statement of how shareholders as distributed according to the volume of property as on 31/12/2022.

Share(s) Owned	No of Shareholders	No. of Share	% Of the shares held of the capital
1-Less than 50,000	21	199,799	0.13%
2-50,000 - 500,000	4	733,000	0.47%
3-500,000-5,000,000	10	29,795,070	19.35%
4-Above 5Million	6	123,272,131	80.05%
Grand Total	41	154,000,000	100.00%

F. Statement of measures taken regarding the controls of investor relationship and an indication of the following:

The Company has updated and modernized its investor relations sections on our website to upload any disclosed information and any other information related to the shareholders rights, such as corporate governance reports, Financials Shareholders Structure, Contact details of the investor relations office in accordance with the requirement and regulation of securities and commodities authority.

Investor relations contact details:

Ms. Rabiaa Bent Allala: Investor relations.

Email: Rabiaa@ascana.net

Contact Number: +971 (04) 282 4403 Ext-165

G. Statement of the important disclosures that were presented at the AGM held during 2022 and the measures taken in their regards.

Article of Association amended.

Consent to amend Article (7) of the company's Articles of Association for the purpose of allowing non-nationals and/or citizens of the Gulf Cooperation Council to own 49%, to read as follows: "all the company's shares are nominal, and the participation rate of nationals and/or citizens of the Gulf Cooperation Council, at any time throughout the period of the company existence, must not be less than 51% of the share capital, and the shareholding of non-nationals of the United Arab Emirates or Gulf Cooperation Council countries may not exceed 49%.

H. The name of the reporter for the board meetings and the date of his appointment

A special decision was taken to amend the article of association to comply with Federal Law No. (26) of 2020 amending some provisions of Federal Law No. (2) of 2015. All procedures related to this decision have been taken for approval by the respected Securities and Commodities Authority. All procedures related to this decision and the Board of Directors have been taken by the Securities and Commodities Authority.

Board of Directors Secretary:



- Name of the Board Secretary and the date of her appointment
 Ms. Rabiaa Hannachi, appointed on 11/07/2017
- Qualification and experience:
 Certified Board of Directors Secretary from Hawkamah Institute (2018)
 Board of Director secretary 2018
 BA in Economy 2001
- Detailed statement of major and important disclosures that the company encountered during 2022.
 No disclosures

J. Statement of Emiratization percentage in the company at the end of 2020, 2021, & 2022

Year	Emiratization Ratio
2020	6%
2021	7%
2022	10%

K. Statement of innovative projects and initiatives carried out by the company or being developed during 2022.

The company has submitted an innovation project related to the creation of a department called the Department of Happiness, the purpose of which is to consider customer dealings, respond to their requests and provide appropriate services to them, as well as for the company's employees.

Chairman Audit Committee Nomination & Remuneration Committee Internal Auditor

Date 01/03./2023 Date02/03/2023 Date02/03/2023 Date02/03/2023